Economic Growth From Hoosier Homegrown Energy



Indiana's Strategic Energy Plan

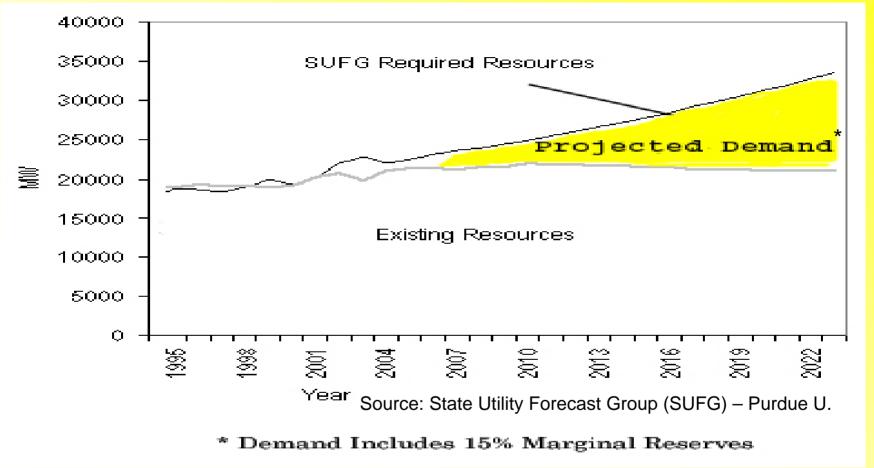




The Problem

- 1. Indiana is about to become a net importer of electricity.
 - More vulnerable to supply disruptions
 - Competitive advantage at risk
- 2. Indiana is also hostage to the high and rising price of oil and natural gas.
 - State is 6th largest per capita natural gas consumer

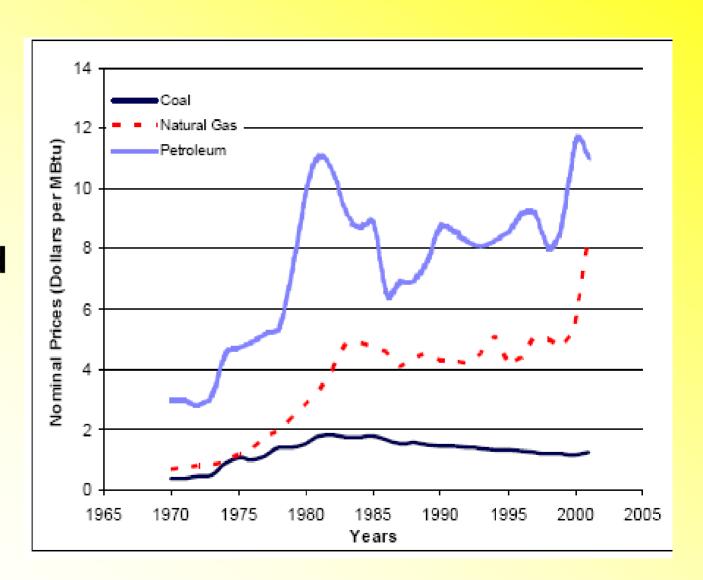
Indiana risks losing a critical economic advantage – its relatively inexpensive and reliable energy supply



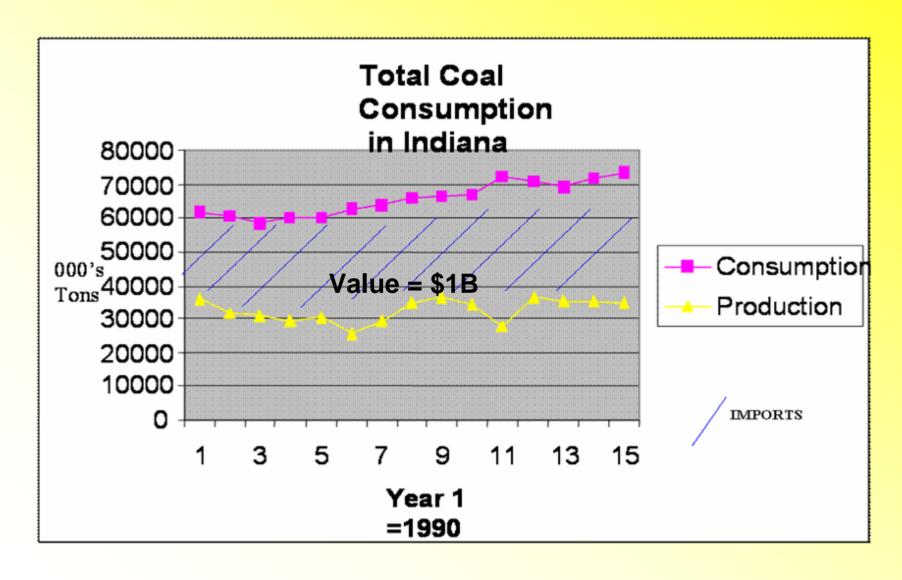
- Indiana has not built a new baseload generation plant in the last 20 years
- Both more megawatts and "negawatts" from conservation are needed



The price of oil and gas has exploded – and is trending still higher









Hoosier Homegrown Energy commits
Indiana to use new and emerging
technologies to convert Indiana coal,
corn, soy and other renewable sources
to energy.

- Thousands of new high paying jobs
- More stable, affordable energy supplies for consumers
- A stronger hand in attracting new employers to our state

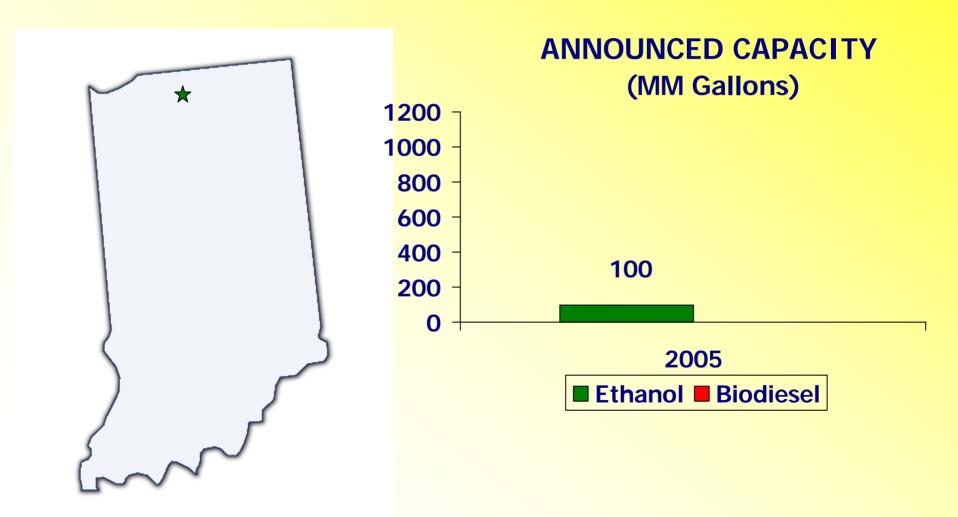
KEY ACTION ITEMS One Year Later

- Actively pursue new "clean coal" and biofuel projects
- √ 23 projects totaling \$6 billion in capital and hundreds of new jobs
- Commit state govt to purchase 10% of its electric load from renewable IN sources by 2010
- ✓ IDOA purchasing 7% in 2007, on track for 10% in 2010, 25% in 2025
- Provide incentives for utilities to help their customers use energy more efficiently
- ✓ IURC approved Vectren decoupling plan
- Strengthen/Expand energy infrastructure including rail
- ✓ Study determines filling 17-mile gap in 300 mile rail line would significantly increase use of Indiana coal





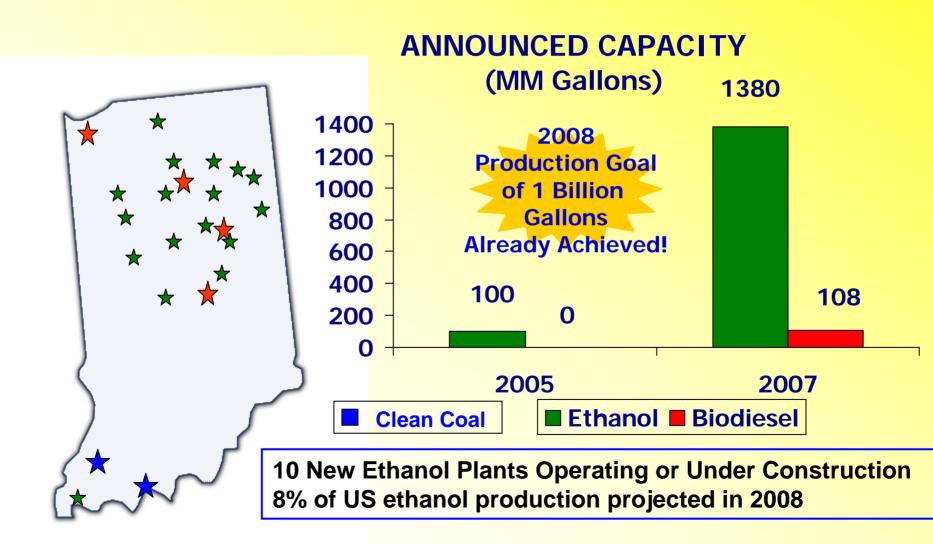
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Two Years Later--2007





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 - Energy bill provides \$20 million for cellulosic production credits and extends clean coal credits to synthetic natural gas production
 - State funding to support R&D on cellulosic/biomass technologies
 - ✓ Competition under way led by IEDC

"Indiana has created the most comprehensive, aggressive, and diversified portfolio of clean coal financial incentives."

National Conference of State Legislatures



Edwardsport Integrated Gasification Combined Cycle (IGCC) plant

First new baseload Indiana power plant in 20 years

This clean coal plant will produce virtually no emissions while providing Indiana with a needed new source of electricity





Synthetic Natural Gas Plant to be located in Southwestern Indiana

SYNGAS plant will produce pipeline quality natural gas from Indiana coal.

- Production should reach 40 billion cubic feet of gas each year. This one plant will supply over 20% of future residential and commercial gas demand.
- It will provide needed electricity for northwestern Indiana.







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